

CHAPTER 484

(Senate Bill 404)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 211J of Article 89B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "State Roads", sub-title "Expenditure of Commission's Funds and Programming and Scheduling of Highway Projects", authorizing the State Roads Commission, with the approval of the majority of the members of the House of Delegates, the majority of the members of the governing body and the State Senator of ~~any county~~, CERTAIN COUNTIES, to substitute construction projects after the initial approval of any two-year highway construction program under certain conditions; and specifying the counties in which this Act is effective.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 211J of Article 89B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume), title "State Roads", sub-title "Expenditure of Commission's Funds and Programming and Scheduling of Highway Projects", be and is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

211J.

On or before July 1, 1964, there shall be prepared by the Commission, and approved by Commission resolution and distributed to each member of the General Assembly representing the several counties in the State and to each board of county commissioners or to each county council, as the case may be, a highway construction program for each respective county which shall include the following: (1) the highway construction and reconstruction projects on both the primary and secondary systems of the State highway system, including projects in the "go" program approved by the 1960 session of the General Assembly but not advertised for construction as of June 1, 1964, which will be constructed or placed under contract for construction during the fiscal years beginning July 1, 1964, and ending June 30, 1966; (2) such programs shall specifically enumerate by location, or other appropriate designation, each of said construction projects and list the order of their priority for construction purposes; (3) the programs shall give the month and year engineering work will be started on each project, the estimated date right-of-way acquisition is scheduled to commence and the estimated date construction is scheduled to commence, and such two-year programs and programs provided in Sections 211K and 211L of this sub-title shall include the construction projects listed in the document entitled "Highway Construction Program, Fiscal Years 1965 through 1970". Within sixty days after receipt of such program by such members of the Legislature and local governing bodies the Commission shall by its resolution except in the case of all projects partially financed by federal funds and upon the written request or approval of a majority of the members of the House of Delegates of each county, with the concurrence of the State Senator, and a majority of the members of the governing body of each county substitute the order of construction as shown on such programs, and substitute a construction project included in the document entitled "Highway Construction Program, Fiscal Years 1965 through 1970", for one included